

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Philip S. Siegel  
Serial No.: 10/750,705  
Filing Date: January 2, 2004  
Group Art Unit: 3629  
Examiner: Jonathan P. Ouellette  
Confirmation No.: 3801  
Title: RETURN CENTERS WITH RULES-BASED  
DISPOSITIONING OF MERCHANDISE

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

In response to the Final Office Action dated May 8, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the rejection of the claims in view of the following amendments and the comments.